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NEW YORK TURNS EFFORTS TOWARD HANGING OF HOLLY

City Shifts from Shopping to Preparations for Christmas

POLICE GET READY TO GREET CHILDREN

Immigrants Welcomed to America in Ellis Island Celebration

sell of shopping yesterday to the tion whether father, in while false whiskers and a much sadded bathrobe, even remotely re-

For the Yuletide stood on the areshold of the city, and persons whose made up of a succession of raids on an endless chain of shops thought as they raused of Christmas and of what

Is the police stations throughout all the boroughs patrolmen spent their which were to bring the light of the Christman spirit to children who other-

COMMISSIONER AND MRS. WOODS HELP SANTA



Assorting Christmas presents at Police Headquarters for widows and orphans of policemen.

lie was a picturesque little tatterdemaion, and he needed about ten years
of steady growth to catch up in size
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of the coat he wore an enormous
amment, cast off in no thoughtless
also by its former owner. Threadbare
and innocent of buttens, it enveloped
the present wearer from chin to shoes.
"Gue whillickers! Lighted up an
empting!"

For a rapturous moment the little
apamuffin stood with his eyes fixed on
the sill between the doors of the Beach
threet police station. Then he tiptoed
tack and took the hand of a little girl
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and selds, sades, books and dolls. Also
there were fiashlights, such as the
Colonel told the recipients he used in
camp in the tropics to make sure he
was not going to step upon a snake or
a tarantula; a Boy Scout's axe, canteens, such as scouts use; knives handy
in camp and garden sets.

The Colonel departed from the Santa
Claus tradition by preceding his distribution with the expression of a wish
that a company of Boy Scouts be or
ganized in the school.

To the girls be commended their efforts with gardens last year.

The story of a Christmas in Africa
followed, the Colonel telling how on
the door flung open.

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"Say, you young rapscallions. What'd tor he and his son Kermit killed an tell you an hour ago? I said that if elephant that had been terrorizing the

dn't 12" mas," said he, "was nan Ryan looked his worst and mas," said he, "was neppermints. Some

Bebbie deserted his sister unchivaluly and took to his heels. The little of dropped her doll, turned her face the wall and began to weep.

The patrolman regarded her in similar for a moment, then he swept the title are up in his arms.

I want meaning you, sister," he sid "Won't you come inside and see the "And the next camen witnessed little Miss Nobody's the fairyland.

Yesterday was a day of strange active and single fairyland in as many stations.

The policemen worked like trojans.

Makes Immigrants Glad

Four hundred immigrants, from gray-bearing the place where giving up precious off-duty me, others were secrificing part of the real without a tree. The hospital ward grew quiet, as it listene to him.

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Ellis Island Christmas

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bearded, fur-capped patriarchs of the mouthless and many were going but sieps that everything might be northlands of Europe to black-haired, resdiness for the grand bestowal of dark-eyed babies from Sicily, were to the little children of the poor, guests vesterday at the annual Christian stations will noid their celebrams celebration on Ellis Island. From the day, some to-morrow, others on the time they filed into the big dining room until they marched out, happy from Commissioner Woods and Chief and gift-laden, they wept and laughed

Asserting Christmas probable 3b Phones were an example of the strategy of the

the cloud of war. Pray to God that they may have the same peace you now enjoy, but pray also that with peace may come the gift of victory."

Then the Rev. J. D. Marmaroff, of the New York Y. M. C. A., extended Christmas greetings to the Greeks in their tongue. Others followed in Swedish by father G. J. D'Anchise, and then the Rev. M. L. Robinson told the story of the Christ child in English. As the guests passed from the room each received candy, fruit and nuts, while the little girls received dolls and the boys games, marbles and tops. A doll was games, marbles and tops. A doll was

Maybe Supreintedent Crager dropped a hint about the matter, or perhaps
Dr. J. Gardner Smith, at the head of
the Harlem Tree Committee, just
guessed how it must feel to be little and
sick, and unable to go out and hunt
Christmas up. Anyhow, a great spruce,
more than 60 feet high, and lighted
with hundreds of red, white and bluelectric incandescents, will stand just th hundreds of red, white and blue ctric incandescents, will stand just opposite the hospital on Sunday night only ten children in the polyomelits and every night until the New Year. Pale and joyful little faces will be pressed to the hospital windows to glory in it.

Marcus M. Marks, President of the Santa Claus and an assistant dis-

games, marbles and tops. A doll was games, marbles and tops. A doll was thrust into the arms of the man with the sabre mustaches as he carried his sleeping baby out.

"No! Boy!" he expostulated, handing back the doll, and a baby rattle was tossed to him.

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Citizens of Brooklyn have their fare departments of the hospitals. Hospital Children's Wish

Answered by High Tree

Denny, who hasn't walked for more than a year, and six-year-old Tom, who spends his days in a plaster cast, and bashy Ned, who deem't remember any thing outside of hospital life, sighed for a great big Christmas tree.

Denny started it A brave little Irish dreamer, he told the other children of the Hospital for Deformities and Joint Disease, up in Mount Morris Park, what Christmas meant, and how the couldn't be real without a tree. The hospital ward grew quiet, as it listened to him. If they could only have a tree!

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their celebration on Christmas morning. A tree in every ward and toys for all the patients have been provided by the hospitals and outside friends. At the Willard Parker Hospital there are

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scruples on two continents.

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tributed candy, cake and ice cream to the 300 youngsters. Chinese children and children of many other nationalities were there and all enjoyed the good things of the Eescue Society.

Thomas J. Noonan, superintendent, has been busy collecting gifts for the Christmas baskets which are being distributed to-day to families in Doyers, Mott, Pell and Bayard Streets. He said that fewer baskets were being sent out this year than last because of the more general prosperity.

WALL ST. PAYS

BONUSES IN GOI

Rush on Sub-Treasury
Get Coin for Clerks
Christmas Gifts

New York's Tars Ready

Right under the guns of the superdreadnought New York in the navy yard in Brooklyn is the finest little hower of pines and ribbons and helly the yard has ever known. At sunset sesterday the men of the warship inished their preparations for the dinner and reception they are to give to 100 poor children on Christmas.

This is some gun deck," observed switched on a hundred lights, and showed the brilliant decoration of

last ditty bag for each child. He opened up two as samples.
"Here we have an overcost, suit, mittens, shoes, cap and stockings for a boy. We'll hand over fifty of these outfits to the boys, and the fifty girls will get the same deal, only it will be dresses and female duds for them."

Arrangements were made vesterday, to take the New York's guests to the navy yard by automobile. "Santa Claus" Luddy will be there to meet them, and on their return from the battleship will deliver up each child and his bundles to the awaiting parents.

here were eighty children in the inic yesterday afternoon, some only ightly paralyzed, so that they were there, who sat in their mothers' laps, I leaned on tiny crutches against heir chairs. All received small toys and candies. In the wards the children will have heir chairs have been provided by the patients have been provided b gineering department of the Public Service Commission.

BORLAND TO URGE MOVING CLOCK AHEAD FOR ALL U. S.

Will Introduce Daylight Saving Bill Into Congress

Borough President Marcus M. Marks, chairman of the New York Daylight Saving Committee, received word yesterday that Representative William P. Borland, of Missouri, had become a convert to "the save an extra hour of sunshine" policy and would soon introduce in Congress a bill seeking to put the daylight saving plan into effect in the United States, beginning May 1 and extending until September 30 of each

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The bill also will provide that the coning system of standard time adopted in the 80's by the railroads shall be made legal time, and that the standard time in each zone shall be advanced one hour in the summer months.

Plans are being made for the National Daylight Saving Convention, which will be held at the Hotel Astor, January 30 and 31. Invitations have been extended to the Governors of all states, United States Senators and Representatives, the Mayors of 150 cities, the Canadian Governor General and many others. Responses received indicate a large attendance.

\$15.500 ALIENATION VERDICT

Contracting Stevedore Must Pay for Taking Woman's Affections

To Thomas A. Nolan, a customs inspector, of 319 East Eighty-sixth Street, was awarded a verdict of \$15,500 yesterday by a jury in the Bronx Supreme Court against Peter J. Malley, a contracting stevedore, of Staten Island, who was accused of allenating the affections of Mrs. Nolan. Mrs. Nolan before her marriage was Loretta A. Mc-

was testified at the trial that Mrs n and Malley had visited a Staten Island inn.

BONUSES IN GOLD

Rush on Sub-Treasury to Get Coin for Clerks' Christmas Gifts

for Navy Yard Xmas AMERICAN EXPRESS **DIVIDES \$1,250,000**

> Mrs. Russell Sage Gives \$10 to Each Employe in Park Department

Treasury opened for business yesterday morning a long line of clerks and green and red and blue the jackies had prepared for their little guests. "There's a light for every kid."

"Santa Claus" Luddy, a bo'sun's mate, who with Gowan devised the merrymaking scheme a year ago, reported that he had just packed the last ditty bag for each child. He opened up two as samples.

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coln, so the casury say, at least \$125,000 in das been taken from the build-Vesterday's rush came away a \$35,000. At least \$50,000 worth silver was changed for paper coney.

Christmas bonuses were not distributed among the business houses of the city alone yesterday. The 314 park employes of the city yesterday learned from Commissioner Cabot Ward that Mrs. Russell Sage had announced that Mrs. Russell Sage had announced the intention of giving every man of the man at en-dollar gold piece. Formerly hem a ten-dollar gold piece. Formerly hem a ten-dollar gold piece. Formerly sage's annual gift to these work.

AILROADS MUST EXPLAIN

FAILURE TO RETURN CARS

Commerce Commission Sets December 25 for Hearing on Freight Delays Washington, Dec. 22.—An order was absolutely no occasion at that time for the fillist of the commerce and by the Interstate Commerce

statement here to-day Minister Porras
no of Panama says that the acquisition
ty from Panama of complete sovereignty
over the Canal Zone, as suggested recently by Major General Goethals, "is
not an impossible thing, either morally
or in the light of international law."
The minister's statement appeared
in a letter resenting a published suggestion that the United States take
over not only the Canal Zone but the
whole territory of the Republic of
Panama. of next year, a 9 per cent raise in March, and a 10 per cent in April and every month thereafter.

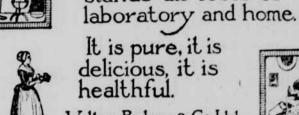
Bonuses for Other Workers

More than \$20,000 in gold will be divided among the employes of Oppenheim, Collins & Co. to-day.

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Rejection of the compromise, which would have carried the Humphreys bill appropriations of \$45,000,000 for the Mississippi and \$5,600,000 for the Sacramento, besides \$1,000,000 for inaugurating the country-wide system, will result in determined opposition to the Humbhreys bill on the floor of the Senate. Senators Newlands, Kenyon and others from the West have banded together to prevent further "piecemeal waterway legislation."

Before the committee voted to-day Secretary Baker appeared in behalf of the Newlands compromise.

LIBERTY illuminated

FYOU travel to or from Philadelphia via the hourly trains of the New Jersey Central and cross the river after dark, you may see the Statue of Liberty sheathed apparently in silver from the new electrical illumination. A radiantly majestic figure commanding the harbor, plainly in view from the ferryboats.

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